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SIX NEW GOVERNORS

Were Inducted Into Office Last Monday, Half Democrats.

POLITICAL CHANGES

John A. Dix First Democrat In New York In 18 Years.

Six new Governors, four of them representing different political parties than their predecessors, were inaugurated in the United States Monday. In three of the states the changes represent gains to the Democratic ranks, the fourth, Nevada, by inaugurating Tasker L. Oddie, now has its first Republican Chief Executive in nearly a score of years.

Following are the states in which new Chief Executives took their offices:

New York—John A. Dix (Dem.), succeeds Horace White (Rep.).

Wisconsin—F. E. McGovern (Rep.), succeeds James Davidson (Rep.).

Michigan—Chas. Osborne (Rep.), succeeds Fred M. Warner (Rep.).

Wyoming—Joseph Carey (Dem.), succeeds B. B. Brooks (Rep.).

Idaho—James H. Hawley (Dem.), succeeds J. H. Brady (Rep.).

Nevada—Tasker L. Oddie (Rep.), succeeds D. C. Dickerson (Dem.).

Governor Dix, the first Democratic Governor in New York in 18 years, took his oath of office amid a brilliant gathering, the great assembly chamber at the Capitol building at Albany being filled with notables.

The inauguration of Gov. Osborne, on the other hand, was marked by extreme simplicity. He had appointed no military staff and assumed his position in the parlor of the executive suite before only friends and relatives.

In the states where the advent of the new Governor was marked by a change in the political complexion the tendency to make the inauguration a celebration which was more marked. Republicans from the mountains of Nevada, many of whom were compelled to endure a journey involving long trips by carriages and on horseback, flocked from all portions of the state to witness a Republican take the reins in the highest office in the state.

LITTLE CEREMONY

When Four Judges of Court Of Appeals Take Oath

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 2.—The process of changing Chief Justices and the swearing in four new members of the Court of Appeals this morning were accompanied by as little ceremony as is possible for such an occasion.

Judges Settle, Lassing and Nunn, who were re-elected, and Judge Shackelford Miller, of Louisville, who succeeded Judge Henry S. Barker, were all sworn in in open court by Clerk Napier Adams, and Judge Hobson, who succeeds to the chief justiceship because he has been longer on the bench than any of the other judges, was inducted into office without any pomp or ceremony whatever.

NATIVE OF CHRISTIAN

Dies In Paducah After Brief Illness.

Mrs. M. F. Ashbrook, formerly of Christian county, died Monday at her home in Paducah, after a brief illness, of pneumonia, aged 73 years. She was the widow of Jeff Ashbrook, who died nearly thirty years ago. She was a member of the Christian church. The Ashbrooks moved from Christian to McCracken county many years ago.

BIG FIRE IN LITTLE ROCK

Property to Value of \$1,000,000 Goes Up in Smoke.

OTHER NEW YEAR FIRES

Granville, N. Y., Hard Hit For Lack of Water Supply.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 3.—Fire, originating in the Hollenberg Musical Company's building, destroyed the entire block of business houses here this morning, the loss of the buildings and stock and goods amounting to \$1,000,000.

The burned buildings were owned by Gov. Donaghey, the Fulk estate and the Elizabeth Shall estate. No casualties occurred.

WATER SUPPLY FAILED.

Troy, N. Y., Jan. 4.—The business section of Granville, N. Y., a village of 5,000 inhabitants about fifty miles north of this city, was swept by fire early yesterday with a loss of \$300,000. The absolute failure of the water supply at the critical moment owing to a stoppage of the intake pipe at the reservoir which supplies the village gave the flames full sway.

FOUGHT WITH BUCKETS.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 4.—Fire, which started from sparks from a chimney here Monday night caused an estimated loss of \$100,000 in the wholesale district.

The hotel seemed doomed, but bucket brigades saved it. The temperature was two degrees above zero.

BIG SANDY RAILROAD.

Engineer, Conductor And Four Other Victims.

Ashland, Ky., Jan. 3.—A wreck on the Miller's Creek branch of the Big Sandy railroad last night resulted in the death of six persons, engineer, conductor and four others. The bodies were brought to Louisa and Ashland this morning.

The dead are: William Akers, brakeman, Cattleburg.

John Worley, conductor, Louisa.

L. G. Pinson, Van Lear.

F. E. Fugate, Van Lear.

Lemuel Mills, Van Lear.

L. A. Smeltzer, Ironton, O.

The train was in charge of Conductor Worley, and ran into loaded cars on the main line. The property loss to the company is enormous. The line is operated by the Consolidated Coal Company and runs between Miller's Creek, three miles above Paintsville, and Van Lear. A crew had left the cars on the main line track into which the train crashed.

TWO MET DEATH.

Nitroglycerin Set Off With Deathly Effect.

Irvine, Ky., Jan. 3.—Two persons were killed and another probably fatally injured by the explosion of a can of nitroglycerin at the home of Mrs. Joseph Winstead, one mile from Irvine, last Saturday night. The dead are:

Elbert Winstead, aged 15 years.

Sam Spivey, aged 35 years.

Mrs. Joseph Winstead, mother of the dead boy, was so badly hurt by the explosion that her death is expected.

The Winstead boy found an old can containing something and set it by the fire to thaw. Soon after the high explosive let go with a deafening report that was heard for miles around. The Winstead boy and Spivey were instantly killed.

The house was demolished by the explosion and caught fire from the store, which was blown to pieces.

ANARCHISTS IN LAST FIGHT

Bloody Battle to The Death In The Heart of London.

FOUGHT LIKE BEASTS.

The Desperate Gang Finally Wiped Out by The Aid of Fire.

London, January 4.—Battling to the grim end against desperate odds "Peter the Painter" and "Dutch Fritz," reputed anarchists, went to death yesterday shouting defiance to the laws of England.

It is believed four companions perished with them in the flames that consumed their den in Sydney Street, not far from the heart of London.

This afternoon only the charred bodies of the two desperadoes, wanted for the assassination of three policemen two weeks ago, had been recovered.

When their house had been riddled with bullets from the guns of police and soldiers and set on fire, the trapped men clambered to the roof and there made their last stand firing at the crowds below and jeering their assailants until the upper supports of the building gave way and the outlaws were swallowed up in the seething flames.

Such a battle between officers of the law and criminals seldom has been waged. Discovered in their hiding place, the handful of terrorists stood off the two half companies of Scots Guards from the tower of London, several detachments of armed police, a battery of horse artillery with three machine guns and a gatling gun and a fire brigade until their home was fired.

BEN WATT,

Kentucky Editor Catches on in Oklahoma.

Oklahoma, City, Okla., Jan. 4.—The old adage, "You can't keep a squirrel on the ground," was fully exemplified here when Governor-elect Lee Cruce, himself an expatriated Kentuckian, announced the appointment of Ben Watt, an erstwhile Kentuckian, to the responsible office of executive clerk, one of the choicest places at his disposal.

This is a constitutional office, with a fixed term and good salary attached.

Ben Watt, who is an old Bowling Green, Ky., boy, came to Oklahoma several years ago to accept a place on the New-State Tribune, Gov. Haskell's paper in this city. He quickly made good, and retires from the managing editorship of the paper to assume his new State office.

NO WATER

And a Clarksville Residence Was Burned.

Clarksville, Tenn., January 4.—Flames destroyed the home of Mrs. Sam Hyman on Robb Avenue, in this city, Monday at noon. The building and all of the contents except a piano and a few furnishings were totally destroyed, and it is said were only partially covered by insurance. The firemen were unable to render any effective assistance owing to an absence of water, the hydrant nearest the house being entirely useless, while the supply of hose was insufficient to connect another hydrant more removed.

Gov. T. Oddie.

The new Governor of Nevada is named T. Oddie. When the governors hold their next national meeting, the Nevada executive will no doubt find himself warming up to the governors of North and South Carolina.

IN TYPICAL WESTERN STYLE

A Passenger Train Is Held Up Near Ogden And Robbed

KILLED TWO PORTERS.

No Passengers Escaped The Hold-up, The Loss Being \$2,000.

Ogden, Utah, Jan. 4.—Southern Pacific train No. 1, the Overland Limited, west-bound, was held up by two masked bandits at an early hour yesterday morning at Reese, nine miles west of Ogden. One negro porter, William Davis, was shot and instantly killed, and another porter, A. W. Taylor, was mortally wounded. A passenger was slightly wounded. One hundred passengers on the train were relieved of their valuables. The robbers did not attempt to enter the express car, but devoted their entire attention to the Pullmans, where they made a rich haul among the California-bound passengers, holding the train for more than an hour.

The train proceeded westward. No passengers escaped the robbers, and the trainmen also lost their jewelry and money.

The money loss among the passengers was from \$2,000 to \$2,500.

EARTHQUAKE COMING

Tremors Noticed at Mobile For Nearly Two Weeks.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 2.—Almost continuous trembling of the seismograph at the Spring Hill college here has caused Prof. C. Ruhlmann to issue a warning of a great seismic upheaval, which he says is sure to come in the immediate future.

Constantly increasing tremors have been recorded at Spring Hill college since Dec. 23, the tendency being south to north and these, says the scientists, forecast a disturbance of great intensity and wide range at no distant date. From the tremors it is believed that the center of the disturbance is about 2,000 miles to the south.

Another Big Horse Sale.

The announcement that the Kentucky Sales Company, Lexington, Ky., will hold their spring sale of saddle horses February 13 to 18, will meet with favorable and ready response from the leading saddle horse breeders from every section. It would be well to write early for space in their catalogue.—Farmers Home Journal.

STOVE. COAL OIL STOVES.

They have been leaving us owing to the cold snap at a rapid rate. Think today will wind us up on our present stock. You had better hurry.

W. T. COOPER & CO.

Both 'Phones.

CUT PRICES!

If You Want to Save Money, Visit My Store.

WOOLEN DRESS GOODS

\$1.50 Wool Dress Goods	\$1.25
1.25 " " "	1.00
1.00 " " "	85c
90c " " "	75c
75c " " "	60c
50c " " "	40c

All Roadcloths at FIRST COST.
All Fancy " at FIRST COST for C.A. 7.

T. M. JONES,

Main Street,

Hopkinsville, Ky.

Banking Facilities

WITH ample working capital, exceptional collection arrangements, and a thoroughly organized office system this bank has the ability and disposition to extend to its customers every facility warranted by safe, conservative banking.

Three per cent. interest on Time Certificates of deposit.

BANK OF HOPKINSVILLE

Nat Gaither, President; J. E. McPherson, Cashier;
H. L. McPherson, Asst. Cashier.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

HOPKINSVILLE - - - KENTUCKY.

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

Only National Bank in This Community.

Capital.....\$75,000.00

Surplus.....25,000.00

Stockholders' Liability.....75,000.00

ISSUES TRAVELER'S CHECKS GOOD IN ALL PARTS

OF THE WORLD.

HAS A REGULAR SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Three Per Cent Interest Paid on Savings a Time Deposit

E. B. LONG, President. W. T. TANDY, Cashier.

JNO. B. TRICE, Vice-President.

CITY BANK & TRUST CO.

CAPITAL STOCK.....\$ 60,000.00

SURPLUS EARNED.....80,000.00

This Bank is prepared to act as Executor, Administrator, Guardian, Trustee, and perform duties in all fiduciary capacities.

THREE PER CENT. ON TIME DEPOSITS.

COUGH!

If you want to, but what's the use when we are offering you a large bottle of

Rexall

Cherry Bark Cough Syrup, which we know will benefit you, for only 25 cents.

L. L. ELGIN.

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Advertising Rates on Application.
212 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

Commenting on the Kentuckian's recent reply to a paragraph in the Owensboro Messenger the Courier-Journal says: "The census returns show that the policy that was pursued in Hopkinsville was the very best possible method of dealing with the situation. No town and no county can afford to temporize or compromise with lawlessness. A firm stand for law and order is always to be commended." Hopkinsville suffered in consequence of the night rider attacks, but she would have suffered incomparably worse if her citizens had "lain down" at the first attack and meekly submitted to subsequent outbreaks. It is greatly to the city's credit that a resolute resistance was shown to night riding, and she deserves all the census shows to have resulted from her course."

With hundreds cheering his wonderful spurt around twelve laps which remained to complete his task. Eugene Estoppey ran a thousand miles in as many consecutive hours at Los Angeles, establishing a new endurance world's record.

Champ Clark, the next speaker, and Oscar Underwood, the next chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, are both natives of Kentucky.

Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve

Is good for anything for which a salve is indicated—Such as pimples, blackheads, sores, chaps, ulcers, sunburn and all skin affections. 25c at all dealers.

Points About
.....People.....

PYLE—Mr. Jas. H. Pyle, who lives a few miles from town on the Cadiz road, was kicked by a mule Saturday on his farm, being painfully injured. The mule's feet struck him in the breast. He was confined to his bed for a few days, but is now convalescent.

CRENSHAW—George Crenshaw, another of the best young business men in Cadiz has moved to Hopkinsville and will be associated with J. H. Anderson & Co., in the dry goods department. Mr. Crenshaw was until recently manager of the store Jefferson & Street. He possesses merchantable ability of a high order and has had some valuable experience. Mr. Crenshaw is a son of Dr. J. W. Crenshaw.

EDMUNDS—Jay Edmunds, Jr., of Clarksville, has taken a position in Frankel's Busy Store and will have charge of the decorating department. He brings with him much skill and experience in this line, having been with McNeal & Edwards in Clarksville. The Frankels are fortunate in securing so valuable a man, but having been trained for a successful career it is but natural that he should prefer to engage in business in a large city.

Eczema, Ringworm,

Tetter, chapped hands or lips, boils, sores and all skin diseases are quickly cured by the use of Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve. 25c a box at all dealers. A creamy snow-white ointment.

SIX LOSE THEIR LIVES

In Collision at Van Lear,
Near Paintsville, Ky.

Ashland, Ky., Jan. 2.—Six persons were killed in a collision on the Miller's Creek railway, near Van Lear, above Paintsville, last night. Four of the victims of the wreck were passengers and two were trainmen.

Millions of Bottles

of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey used annually is good evidence that it is a good remedy for LaGrippe, coughs, colds, and all throat and bronchial troubles. Look for the Bell on the bottle. Sold everywhere.

Those Bad Spells.

Lebanon, Ky.—Mrs. Minnie Lamb, of this place, says: "I believe I would have been dead by now, had it not been for Cardui. I haven't had one of those bad spells since I commenced to use this medicine." Cardui is a specific medicine for the ills from which women suffer. Made from harmless vegetable ingredients Cardui is a safe, reliable remedy, and has been successfully used by weak and ailing women for more than fifty years. Thousands of women have been helped back to health and happiness by its use. Why not profit by their experience? A trial will convince you that Cardui is just what you need.

Y. M. C. A. FOR NEGROES

Cities Raising \$75,000 Will
Get \$25,000.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—Julius Rosenwald has agreed to give \$25,000 to every city in the United States that will raise \$75,000, the whole to be used in building a Y. M. C. A. for negroes. He has given this amount for a Chicago institution of this character. He believes Y. M. C. A. buildings for negroes will help solve the race problem.

A Medicine

That lives ten years must have merit. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey has been sold for sixteen years, and sales have increased every year. So you run no risk. We guarantee it. At all dealers.

His Wife's First

And Third Husband.

Wellington, Kan., Jan. 4.—Miles Park, his wife's first and third husband, is dead here at the age of 80. Park was married in Washington county, Ohio, in 1852. In 1876 he left his wife and three children and went in search of a fortune to the Black Hills of Dakota. He was reported killed by Indians.

Mihor Harrod, a Kansas farmer, visiting in Ohio in 1884, met Park's supposed widow, married her and came to live near here. Park, returning to Ohio in 1901, learned his wife was still alive. He did not, however, make known to her the fact that he was also alive until 1907, when Harrod died. He then came to Kansas, recouped his wife and last year remarried her.

When You See The Bell

On the bottle you have our guarantee that you are getting the best cough and cold remedy. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey has millions of satisfied users. At all dealers.

Bank With Royal Depositors.

The English banking world is congratulating itself upon the receipt of a large and acceptable account. In fact, King Manuel of Portugal has honored the house of Coutts on the Strand with the deposit of his private fortune, and England is so much richer for Manuel's loss. This firm of Coutts is a remarkable establishment, by the way, for it has attracted the patronage of nearly all the royalty which has had occasion to leave money in London. Every English king from George II. to the present George has kept his wealth in their vaults, and Louis Philippe, the shah of Persia and Leopold of Belgium have all patronized the Coutts.

Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey

It is a house-hold word in every state in the Union as well as in several foreign countries. For Grippe, Coughs, Colds, Asthma and throat troubles it is the best. Sold everywhere. Look for the bell on the bottle.

How It Looked to Him.

Mrs. Dresser was looking over the grocer's bill.
"How many pounds are there in a peck, Henry?" she asked.
Her husband looked up from his newspaper.
"Are you trying to figure out the weight of your latest coiffure, my dear?" he asked.

What Can We Say

More than if you are not satisfied after using Southerland's Eagle Eye Salve we will refund your money, 25c at all dealers.

The Voice of Experience.

The oleomargarine dealers tell us that there is more real virtue in their product than in butter.
Yet we have known considerable but not that seemed amply able to resist temptation.
It certainly was strong enough—
Cleveland Plain Dealer.

He Never Got His Money

back. Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve cured his eyes and he did not want it. Painless and harmless. 25c at all dealers.

PREFERRED LOCALS.

FOR SALE—Set Carpenter's tools.
Apply to Saxe McCormick.

J. B. Fisher, The Tinner.
Shop on Seventh street, over Metcalfe's laundry.

\$50,000

To loan on first-class real estate security. The T.S. KNIGHT & CO.

Partridge Wyandotte Cockerels, pure bred stock, for sale. Apply to JNO. W. GARNETT, Hopkinsville, Ky.

A Cash Offer.

The Kentuckian has made a special clubbing rate with The Memphis Weekly Commercial Appeal by which we will furnish both papers for one year for the very low subscription price of \$2.25. The Commercial Appeal is one of the largest and best papers in the South, and we hope to receive many new subscriptions on this offer; \$2.25—cash for both papers.

Farmers' Almanac For 1911.

The First National Bank has a special edition of this popular almanac. In addition to the usual varied and useful information, it contains Kentucky game laws and other matter of local interest. They are distributed them free to first callers, especially to farmers. They also have their usual business calendar for the new year for general distribution.

Five Percent

Farm Loans

A special representative of the largest loan company in the United States will be at the office of JOHN T. EDMUNDS, ATTORNEY, every FIRST AND THIRD MONDAY and will make LOANS ON GOOD FARM LAND in Christian and adjoining counties AT FIVE PER CENT. If you desire a loan either call or address a letter to SPECIAL LOAN AGENT, P. O. Box 417, Hopkinsville, K.

FARMERS' WEEK.

Lexington, Ky., January 2-7, 1911.

The Illinois Central will sell round trip tickets to Lexington, Ky., account the above occasion at the rate of \$7.78 for the round trip. Dates of sale January 2 to 7, inclusive. Tickets limited returning to reach original starting point not later than midnight of Jan. 9, 1911.

T. L. Morrow, Agent.

Homeseekers'

Excursion fares to points in Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, Utah, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Arizona, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mexico, New Mexico, Wyoming. The Illinois Central will sell round-trip homeseekers excursion tickets to points in the above named states every first and 3rd Tuesday at very reasonably reduced rates. For further information call on, write or phone ticket agent Illinois Central, Comb. 45-2

T. L. Morrow, Agent.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION
—OF—

BANK OF HOPKINSVILLE
At the Close of Business
Dec. 31, 1910.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts.....\$316 185 56
Banking House.....23 000 00
Stocks and Bonds.....84 500 00
Sight Exchange.....48 492 89
Cash.....52 980 06
Total.....\$525 158 51

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock.....\$100 000 00
Surplus Fund.....40 000 00
Undivided Profits.....3 268 89
Due Depositors.....374 157 84
Due Other Banks.....4 590 78
Dividends Unpaid.....141 00
Dividend No. 91,
this day.....3 000 00

\$525 158 51

J. E. McPHERSON,
Cashier.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 2, 1911.

Condensed Financial Statement
Dec. 31st, 1910.Planters Bank
and Trust Co.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....\$311,477.99
Mortgages.....25,696.79
Stocks and Bonds.....33,100.00
Overdrafts.....3,545.69
Office Furniture and
Fixtures.....12,769.72
Banking House and Lot.....22,800.00
Cash and Sight Exchange.....115,664.90
Real Estate.....15,070.69
Total.....\$539,825.78

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock.....\$144,700.00
Surplus and Undivided
Profits.....18,614.95
Net Earnings past six
months.....4,514.88
Due Banks (Deposits).....5,703.18
Due Individual Depositors.....324,292.77
Bills Payable.....42,000.00
Total.....\$539,825.78
A. H. ECKLES, Cashier.

CONDENSED STATEMENT
—OF THE—

City Bank and Trust Co.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON
Dec. 31st, 1910.

Assets.

Loans.....\$333,110.93
Overdrafts.....979.67
Bonds.....111,650.00
Banking House.....17,090.00
Real Estate for Debt.....1,650.00
Office Furn't. & Fixtures.....3,000.00
Cash and Exchange for
Clearings.....42,636.11
Sight Exchange.....106,732.56
Total.....\$616,759.27

Liabilities.

Capital Stock.....\$ 60,000.00
Surplus and Undivided
Profits.....\$5,110.55
Dividend No. 61, this day
5 per cent.....3,000.00
Deposits.....462,353.01
Due Banks.....5,795.71
Certified Checks.....500.00
Total.....\$616,759.27
W. T. TANDY, Cashier.

Report of the Condition of the
BANK OF CROFTON

Bank doing business at the town of Crofton, County of Christian, State of Kentucky, at the close of business on the 15th day of December, 1910.

RESOURCES.

1 Loans and Discounts.....\$58 289 99
2 U. S. and other Bonds,
Stocks and Securities.....25 625 00
3 Due from Banks.....42 099 06
4 Actual Cash on hand.....6 772 26
5 Checks, cash items and
exchange for clearing.....
6 Overdrafts—Secured,
None; Unsecured,
\$78.49;.....78 49
7 Current expenses and
taxes paid.....
8 Real Estate, \$2 000 00;
Furniture and Fixtures,
\$1 000 00; Total.....3 000 00
9 Other Assets not in-
cluded under any of the
above heads.....
Total.....\$135 864 80

LIABILITIES.

10 Capital Stock paid in,
in cash.....15 000 00
11 Surplus, 7 500 00; Un-
divided profits 1 890 00;
Total.....9 390 00
12 Deposits on which in-
terest is paid, \$39 509 50;
Deposits on which in-
terest is not paid, \$71 965.
30; Total Deposits.....111 474 80
13 Cashier's checks, out-
standing, None; Certi-
fied checks, None; Total.....
14 Due to Banks.....
15 Notes and Bills redis-
counted, \$.....; Bills
payable, \$.....; Total.....
16 Other liabilities not in-
cluded under any of the
above heads.....
Total.....\$135 864 80

State of Kentucky, } set.
County of Christian, }

I, J. Y. Crabtree, Cashier of the
above named Bank, do solemnly
swear that the above statement is
true to the best of my knowledge
and belief.

J. Y. CRABTREE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before
me by J. Y. Crabtree this 24th day
of December, 1910.

W. E. KEITH,
Notary Public.
My Commission expires Jan. 31st,
1912.

Correct Attest—
A. B. CROFT,
O. A. WEST,
R. W. TROTTER,
Directors.

T. S. Knight & Co.

Real Estate, Loans
and Insurance. Office
South side Court
square.

Report of the condition of the
Farmers and Merchants
Bank.

Bank doing business at town of Pembroke, County of Christian, State of Kentucky, at the close of business on the 15th day of December 1910.

RESOURCES.

1 Loans and Discounts.....\$108,607 89
2 U. S. and other Bonds,
Stocks and Securities.....2,569 19
3 Due from Banks.....5,558 62
4 Actual cash on hand.....933 51
5 Checks, cash items and
exchange for clearing.....
6 Overdrafts—Secured,
None; Unsecured, \$1,714 46
7 Current expenses and
taxes paid.....3,109 56
8 Real Estate, \$23,350 00;
Furniture and Fixtures,
\$4,500 00; Total.....27,850 00
9 Other Assets not in-
cluded under any of the above
heads.....623 34
Total.....\$153,966 57

LIABILITIES

10 Capital Stock paid in,
in cash.....40,000 00
11 Surplus, \$8,000 00; Un-
divided profits, none; To-
tal.....8,000 00
12 Deposits on which in-
terest is paid, \$22,792 94;
Deposits on which interest
is not paid, \$64,882 31; To-
tal deposits.....87,675 25
13 Cashier's checks, out-
standing, \$5 25; Certified
checks, none; Total.....5 25
14 Due to Banks.....496 91
15 Notes and Bills redis-
counted, \$3,057 48; Bills
payable, \$12,500 00; Total.....15,557 48
16 Other liabilities not in-
cluded under any of the
above heads.....2,231 68
Total.....\$153,966 57

State of Kentucky, County of Chris-
tian, set.

I, J. W. Cross, cashier of the above
named Bank, do solemnly swear that
the above statement is true to the
best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. Cross, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before
me by J. W. Cross this 24th day of
Dec. 1910.

John H. Pendleton, Notary Public.
My Commission expires Feb. 11,
1914.

Correct Attest (Eldon Crutchfield,
W. H. Jones,
T. D. Jamason,
Directors.

Report of the condition of the
Bank of Pembroke

Bank doing business on Main street town of Pembroke, County of Christian, State of Kentucky, at the close of business on the 15th day of December 1910.

RESOURCES.

1 Loans and Discounts.....\$72,590 19
2 U. S. and other Bonds,
Stocks and Securities.....2,617 79
3 Due from Banks.....2,890 47
4 Actual Cash on hand.....
5 Checks, cash items and
exchange for clearing.....985 18
6 Overdrafts—Secured,
\$00; Unsecured, \$134 82;
7 Current expenses and
taxes paid.....1,919 66
8 Real Estate, \$5,000; Fur-
niture and Fixtures, \$1,500;
Total.....6,500 00
9 Other Assets not in-
cluded under any of the above
heads.....
Total.....\$87,638 11

LIABILITIES

10 Capital Stock paid in,
in cash.....\$20,000 00
11 Surplus, \$4,000, Un-
divided profits, \$3,310.94; To-
tal.....7,310 94
12 Deposits on which in-
terest is paid, \$13,930.69;
Deposits on which interest
is not paid, \$32,590.27; To-
tal Deposits.....46,520 96
13 Cashier's checks, out-
standing, \$00; Certified
checks, \$00; Total.....306 21
14 Due to Banks.....
15 Notes and Bills redis-
counted, \$00; Bills payable,
\$13,500; Total.....13,500 00
16 Other liabilities not in-
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Arrive Nashville...9:30 a.m.
No. 14 Leave Hopkinsville 4:00 p.m.
Arrive Nashville...7:15 p.m.

WEST BOUND

No. 11 Leave Nashville...8:10 a.m.
Arrive Hopkinsville 11:20 a.m.
No. 13 Leave Nashville...5:05 p.m.
Arrive Hopkinsville 8:15 p.m.
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Time Table.

No. 57.

In effect Oct 29, 1910.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 332—Evansville Accommodation... 5:40 a.m.
No. 302—Evansville—Mattoor Express... 11:25 a.m.
No. 340 Princeton mixed... 4:15 p.m.

SOUTH BOUND

No. 341—Hopkinsville mixed... 9:15 a.m.
No. 321—Evansville—Hopkinsville mail... 3:50 p.m.
No. 301—Evansville—Hopkinsville Express... 6:40 p.m.
Train No. 332 connects at Princeton for Paducah, St. Louis and way stations, also runs through to Evansville.
Train No. 302 connects at Princeton for Louisville, Cincinnati, way stations and all points East, also runs through to Evansville.
Trains No. 340 and 341, local trains between Hopkinsville and Princeton
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TIME TABLE.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 52—St. Louis Express, 9:51 a.m.
No. 54—St. L. Fast Mail, 10:23 p.m.
No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim., 5:25 a.m.
No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p.m.
No. 94—Dixie Flyer, 6:18 p.m.
No. 90—Evansville—Hopkinsville Accommodation 4:20 p.m.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No. 51—St. L. Express 5:35 p.m.
No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:38 a.m.
No. 93—C. & N. O. Lim. 11:56 p.m.
No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac. 7:05 a.m.
No. 95—Dixie Flyer, 9:28 a.m.
No. 91—Evansville—Hopkinsville Accommodation 9:10 a.m.

No. 52 and 54 connect at St. Louis and other points west.
No. 51 connects at Guthrie for Memphis in points as far south as Erie and for Louisville Cincinnati and the East.

No. 53 and 55 make direct runs at Guthrie for Louisville, Cincinnati and all points north and east thereof. No. 53 and 55 also connect for Memphis and way points.

No. 93 runs through to Chicago and will not carry passengers to point South of Evansville. Also carries through sleepers to St. Louis.

No. 91 through sleepers to Atlanta, Macon Jacksonville, St. Augustine and Tampa, Fla. Also Pullman sleepers to New Orleans. Connects at Guthrie for points East and West. No. 93 will not carry local passengers for points North Nashville Tenn.

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Market Report.

Corrected Dec. 26, 1910.

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Country hams, 20c per pound
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Northern eating Rural potatoes \$1.00 per bushel
Potatoes, Irish, 25c peck
Sweet potatoes, \$1.20 per bushel
Yellow eating onions, \$1.00 per bushel
Red eating onions, \$1.00 per bushel
Dried Navy beans, \$3.00 per bushel
Cabbage, New 5 and 10 cents a head.
Dried Lima beans, 7c per pound.
Country dried apples, 10c per pound
Country dried peaches, 10c per pound
Daisy cream cheese, 25c per pound
Full cream brick cheese, 25c per pound
Full cream Limberger cheese, 25c per pound
Popcorn, dried on ear, 2c per pound.
Fresh Eggs 40c per doz
Choice lots fresh, well-worked country butter, in pound prints, 30c

FRUITS.

Lemons, 25c per dozen
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Bananas, 20c and 25c doz
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POULTRY.

Dressed hens, 12c per pound
Dressed cocks, 7c per pound
Live hens, 7c per pound; live cocks, 3c per pound; live turkeys, 16c per pound
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No. 2 white corn, 50c
No. 2 mixed corn, 50c
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THE EAVESDROPPER

By ABRAHAM R. GROH

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No cloud had marred the horizon of hope for Marian Moore and Richard Kingsley during the year they were engaged. And the first one that appeared was so large that it seemed to overcast the whole sky in an instant and to give promise of nothing but long and sure storm.

One afternoon Marian passed the Sidwell home and heard through an open window the voice of her fiancé. His mere presence there was unexpected, considering his often expressed dislike for Eleanor Sidwell. But the words which he uttered were almost beyond belief. Had Miss Moore not heard them with her own ears nothing in the world could have persuaded her that he had spoken them. The words were these:

"I love you, darling, more than I ever dreamed of loving any woman before. We are here alone now and I will tell you the truth. Then, if you still wish to drive me from you I must go. But you shall first know my real feelings."

Following this impassioned declaration, Marian heard the voice of Eleanor. It was lower than his but full of tenderness. Moreover, it was distinctly audible.

"Dick, are you sure that you love me?"

Stunned though Marian had been at first, she now regained her self-possession sufficiently to walk on. Her ears fairly tingled. She moved mechanically, and, hardly knowing



where she went, found herself at home. She entered the house, hurried to her room, threw herself on the bed and gave way to bitter weeping.

Relieved by tears, she looked the situation in the face.

Marian Moore was a young woman of strong character. She took pen and paper, and after tearing up many notes, finally was satisfied with one which read:

"Mr. Richard Kingsley—I cannot see you tonight nor ever in the future. I have learned all—fortunately before it was too late. Never address me again."

When Dick Kingsley received this note he was stunned for a moment. He read the letter a dozen times. At first he couldn't believe his eyes. Then he decided it was a joke.

He rushed to a telephone and called up Marian. His heart beat hard as he waited. At last he heard her voice.

"This you, Marian?" he cried, trying to assume a heartiness he did not feel. "That was a great joke you played on me. I just received your note. It gave me an awful start at first. But I see it now. Ha, ha—"

His forced gaiety was sadly smothered, however, when he heard the voice of Miss Moore, very cold and inexorable, saying:

"It was not a joke, Mr. Kingsley. I assure you. I wrote the note and I meant every word of it. Goodbye."

The receiver was hung up. Richard Kingsley sat down and sought himself to be calm. He looked about him to make sure he was in his right senses. He knew he had felt Miss Moore two evenings before in the heat of spirits. His heart throbbed with tenderness as he remembered the picture of her pretty self silhouetted in the light from the half open door as they said good night. What, then, had changed her in this short time?

"Oh, I can't endure this nightmare!" he groaned.

He hurried out and to the home of his fiancée.

"Miss Moore is not in," said the maid at the door.

But Richard Kingsley in his present mood was not to be deceived or put off by a social conventionality. "I must see her," he said.

He seated himself in the drawing room and waited. It was a long time until he heard the familiar step. She appeared at the door and looked at him unsmilingly, inquiringly. There was a suspicion of indignation about her eyes, but she looked as firm as fate. Dick arose and hurried toward her.

"Marian, this is some awful joke," he cried.

She held up a forbidding hand. "Please do not come near me, Mr. Kingsley," she said, coldly. "You have forced your way into the house and compelled me to see you against

my will. I must repeat that I meant what I said in the letter. Our engagement is broken."

Heaven seemed to shut its gates upon Dick. Blindly he sought to take a last glimpse.

"Marian, you must tell me, at least, the reason for my dismissal," he said striving to control his voice.

She looked at him steadily and almost scornfully a long moment before she spoke:

"When a young man who has professed his whole love for me goes away and a few hours later expresses a most ardent regard for another young woman, I am not that sufficient provocation for breaking an engagement?"

"But, Marian!" exclaimed the young man, "you don't mean to say that I ever—"

She was gone, and he heard her footsteps growing fainter as she ran up the stairs.

Life for the two young persons was a melancholy affair during the days that followed. Miss Moore seldom went out and Mr. Kingsley had vague notions of leaving the prosperous lumber firm in which he was junior partner to court adventure and seek oblivion in the wilds of Africa.

One day Marian saw an account in the newspaper of an entertainment given by the Country club for the benefit of the orphans' home. In the printed cast of characters was this:

"Dick Brathwaite, in love with Nettie, Richard Kingsley."

"Nettie Majors, Eleanor Sidwell."

The lines danced before her. She waited to read no more. The paper fell from her fingers, and her eyes were filled with a new light.

"Oh, how I have wronged him!" she cried.

Now, Miss Marian Moore was of that altogether lovable type of woman that forgives as quickly and as ardently as it condemns. Therefore Dick Kingsley, moping in his office and considering his expedition to the African jungles, listlessly answered the telephone about two minutes after Miss Moore had read the above mentioned lines.

"Hello, is this—Dick?" said a voice which caused his heart to leap and beat in a most alarming manner. But he had sufficient self-possession to remember some of his wrongs.

"This is Mr. Kingsley," he replied with cold dignity.

"Oh, Dick, don't—please don't," continued the voice, beseechingly. "I've been punished enough by all my wickedness. I've just read about the play given by the Country club. I see now that you were just rehearsing with Eleanor Sidwell when I overheard you. Oh, Dick, can you ever forgive me?"

Mr. Richard Kingsley melted completely as he heard these words, and he replied:

"Well, can I?"

"And you'll come up tonight?" continued Miss Moore.

"Well, will I?" exclaimed Mr. Kingsley.

Whereupon with a few inconsequential remarks, which were heard by no one but these two, with the possible exception of Central, Mr. Richard Kingsley hung up the receiver and proceeded to fill the office with such a joyous and voluminous strain of whistling that Cartwright, the bookkeeper, placed weights ostentatiously upon the loose piles of paper on his desk.

And Dick Kingsley smiled indulgently upon him. He felt like smiling on all the world, for his heart was filled with joy, and all thought of explorations in Africa or any other part of the world had fled.

Americanizing Japan.

It would not have occurred to many persons to think of estimating the progress of foreign language in Japan by investigating the names given to dogs. But that bright idea suggested itself to the Kolshikawa police. In pursuance of their duties with regard to the registration of dogs they recently entered the names of 160 belonging to the inhabitants of that quarter of the city of Tokyo.

They found that every one of the 160 had what the Japanese call a "butter-smelling" name, that is to say a name evidently of foreign origin. There were no less than twelve "Johnnies" among the pack, as well as several "Jocks." The old familiar Japanese names—"Taro," "Jiro" and the like—were conspicuous by their absence.

A Tokyo journal regards this as a sign of the times. Like the singing and whistling of Occidental tunes which are heard so much in Tokyo nowadays, the selection of Occidental names for pets in Japanese families is not without significance.

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CURRENT COMMENT

CREAM OF NEWS COMPILED AND COLLECTED FROM ALL SOURCES

The Weather.

FOR KENTUCKY — Generally fair and not so cold Thursday.

Oldest Paper.

The Scioto Gazette, the oldest American newspaper without change of name, has celebrated its one hundred and tenth anniversary with a handsomely illustrated historical edition. The Gazette made its initial appearance in Chillicothe in 1800, and it has been issued every since on its announced publication day.

This veteran Ohio newspaper was first "pulled off" on an old hand press in a log cabin in the little village then the capital of the Northwestern Territory. Its first editor was Nathaniel Willis, grandfather of the poet of the same name.

The present owners of the paper, one of the brightest and best evening daily papers in Ohio, are G. W. C. Perry and David Meade Massie. Mr. Perry is a member of the family that gave Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry and Commodore Mathew C. Perry to the country, and Mr. Massie is a grandson of Gen. Nathaniel Massie, founder of Chillicothe.

There's historic interest and distinction, and there too, is quality to match—Cleveland Ledger.

Second Largest Diamond.

Mrs. Edward B. McLean, daughter of the late Thomas F. Walsh, has created a sensation in fashionable circles by wearing what is said to be the second largest diamond in the world as a pendant and another of enormous size in a bandeau about her forehead.

The McLean jewel is more than two inches long and of oval shape, worn on the end of a short neck chain and suspended below an enormous emerald. Mrs. McLean wears the huge stone and the forehead bandeau with a black velvet gown, and her appearance at the theater and other entertainments has caused something of a sensation.

County Clerk's Report.

County Clerk Stowe's report for the year 1910 shows that during the year there were 1,074 deeds lodged for record; 603 real estate mortgages were recorded; 744 chattel mortgages and powers of attorney; 207 privilege licenses issued; total amount remitted to the state auditor \$8,471.50; marriage licenses issued 392.

Three Join Elks Lodge.

At the meeting of the Elks lodge Tuesday night Messrs. Jas. P. Thompson, W. H. Jesup and Jas. M. Carter were initiated into the order. Congressman Ben Johnston and Mr. Burnside, a traveling man from Ohio, were present as visitors. In spite of the cold weather, about 40 were in attendance.

Monster Hog.

Mr. Charles Goodrum, who lives near the city on the Fishman Mill Pike, holds the record for having killed the biggest hog ever raised in Warren county. During the present cold snap he butchered a porker that weighed 875 pounds. The hog was of a fine quality, and Mr. Goodrum secured the top price for it.—Bowling Green Messenger.

A Strong Team.

Messrs. M. F. Crenshaw and E. C. Radford have formed a partnership in the real estate and farm insurance business. This is a strong team and it is safe to predict a successful career for them. Their office is in the Dalton building, East Seventh street. Attention is called to their card, which appears in this issue.

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Clarksville's New Mayor.

Mayor M. R. Hanner succeeded Mayor M. C. Northington in Clarksville this week and in a message to the Council declares for law enforcement and recommends various improvements.

In Tennessee.

The Tennessee Senator organized with Nat Baxter, as President, Democrats in control. In the House the fusionists with 53 votes elected A. M. Leach, of Clarksville, speaker, the Democrats trying to break a quorum.

Esq. Jarrell.

Squire Joe Jarrell, of Clarksville, has been elected to the office of Journal clerk in the Tennessee Senate, the job carrying a salary of \$6.00 a day.

Will Pool 1911 Wool Crop.

The 1911 wool crop will be pooled owing to the success which followed the pool of last year. The wool pooled that year amounted to 200,000 pounds and it is expected that 500,000 pounds will be disposed of this year.

Still Finding Indictments

Judge Blair held court until late last night to receive confessions of the Adams county, O., election bribe takers. The grand jury returned 183 indictments, which brings the total indictments to 1,431.

And Still It's High.

The coal production of the United States for 1910 was between 475,000,000 and 485,000,000 short tons. This is approximately within 1 per cent. of the maximum record 1907.

FRIENDSHIP HALL

Will be Used For Colored High School Temporarily.

The trustees of the colored graded common school are much pleased at the interest the people are taking in their schools. The United Brothers of Friendship, a substantial local secret organization which owns the building in which the building in which the high school department has been conducted since opening school last fall, met Tuesday night and manifested their interest in upbuilding the school by contributing the use of said building, free of rental, the remainder of the school term, also back rent for two months. It is needless to say that the trustees appreciate this generosity. The building had cost them \$10 per month. The colored high school now has about 40 pupils.

Parson's Poem A Gem.

From Rev. H. Stubenvoll, Allison, Ia., in praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills. "They're such a health necessity. In every home these pills should be. If other kinds you've tried in vain, USE DR. KING'S And be well again. Only 25c at all Druggists.

WITH GUNBOAT HORNET

Truxillo, Honduras, Proves Easy For The Revolutionists.

New Orleans, Jan. 3.—A dispatch from Puerto Barrios to the Picayune announces the capture of Truxillo, Honduras, by the revolutionary gunboat Hornet. The Garrison at Ruan surrendered without firing a shot, according to the dispatch, and the government troops joined the revolutionists.

"After the Hornet left New Orleans," says the Picayune's correspondent, "The vessel picked up 100 men, 1,000 rifles, two machine guns and a large quantity of ammunition. The Hornet arrived at LaGuan LaGracios December 28, proceeded to the Island of Bonacca, where a base of operations was established, then captured the bay islands."

Typhoid Pneumonia.

A 2-year-old child of Jerry Owen, col., died of typhoid pneumonia Tuesday night.

INHERITANCE TAX

Revenue Agent Brings Suit Against Latham Executors.

State Revenue Agent Earl C. Huntsman has filed a suit in the Christian Circuit Court against the executors of John C. Latham, deceased, to collect an inheritance tax of \$5 per \$1,000 from the Latham estate for the bequests left to the city of Hopkinsville. This applies to the real estate, which is assessed at \$13,500, and perhaps some other bequests.

HAS ENOUGH.

Aviator Radley Escapes Close Call And Decides To Sell.

James Radley, the English aviator, began the last day of the Los Angeles aviation meet with a narrow escape from death.

Radley's encounter with the air currents was unexpected. He was totally unprepared for it, but regained control of the machine and immediately landed. A few minutes later he accepted an offer from a purchaser to buy his machine. He said he would fly at the San Francisco meet, but that after that he might abandon the sport that had claimed so many victims.

ALL THE SAME.

The Elopers Will Find A Way To Wed.

The Bristol, Tenn., Ministerial Association adopted resolutions pledging its members, more than twenty in number, not to marry eloping couples on Tennessee soil, contrary to the laws of the state from which either or both of the elopers come.

The resolution condemns the hundreds of hastily and "indecent" marriages of elopers here annually, and memorializes the Tennessee legislature to pass laws to prohibit them. One local "marrying parson" has married nearly 4,000 eloping couples from Virginia and West Virginia, where the laws prohibit the marriage of persons under 21 years of age without parental consent.

AMUSEMENTS

"A Breezy Affair" and "In Jungle Land," two big musical comedy burlesques will be introduced at Holland's Opera House Tuesday night, Jan. 10, by the California Girls' Company, introducing a bevy of pretty girls and a host of clever comedians, introducing comedy, opera, burlesque, travesty and vaudeville features. The vaudeville features are as follows: Rose Lewis, flying trapeze, Queen of the Air; Boss & Boss, European novelty act; Ida Bell, dainty singing and dancing soubrette; Trueheart, Dillon & Burke, eccentric comedy trio; Hazel Grant, comedienne, Johnson & Lambert, German comedians and M'lie Carina & Co., Cleopatra dancer.

Examination of

County Pupils.

The examination for county school graduates will be held on Friday and Saturday, January 27 and 28. The examination will be held in this city and it is imperative that all pupils intending to enter the high school shall take this examination as the certificate of proficiency is necessary to gain entrance to the high school.

JENNIE WEST,
County Superintendent

The picture show at the Western Asylum is now in operation. Supt. Sights will exercise care in selecting the pictures that will be shown and only those entirely devoid of the suggestion of crime, killing, suicides and wrong of any kind will be shown. Those which will amuse and entertain the patients will be used and the new feature is expected to do much good.

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Oldest Clerk Dead.

James S. Dean, who was said to be the oldest railway mail clerk in active service, died at Kingston, N. Y., at the age of 79 years.

NEARLY \$2,000,000.

Of Cash Deposited In Christian County's 8 Banks.

The four banks of Hopkinsville have cash deposits aggregating \$1,471,809.07, as shown by their statements Dec. 31. In addition to the many due depositors the four banks in other towns in the county show aggregate deposits of \$300,817.33, making a grand total for the eight banks of Christian county of \$1,772,626.40.

If cash deposited in banks is any index to a county's prosperity, this showing indicates that Christian county is prosperous in the highest degree.

Here and There

Layne & Leavell, of this city, sold a pair of two year-old mules, a few days ago, to Clifton W. Garrett, of Bell, for \$525. They measured 16 hands and one inch and together weighed 2,100 lbs. They were the finest mules ever seen in this market, which is headquarters for mules in Western Kentucky.

See J. H. Dagg for contracting building and general repair work of all kinds. Phone 476.

They say all whiskey is good whiskey, only some is better than others—"Some" means "Harper," the others are "alsorans."—Call for Harper at

W. R. LONG'S,
Hopkinsville, Ky.

SHATTERED HAND

Of Mr. Flaherty Had to be Amputated.

The wounds in the hand of Mike Flaherty, who accidentally shot himself while out hunting near the city last Saturday, were of such a character that amputation of the member became necessary and his hand was taken off by surgeons Tuesday. He is now getting along as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

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And Hands Down Four Important Long Pending Decisions.

ONE AFFECTS KENTUCKY

Panama Libel Case is Quashed And No Jurisdiction Was Taken.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The oath of office was administered yesterday to Judge Willis Van Devanter, of Wyoming, and Judge Joseph R. Lamar, as Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States. For the first time in nineteen months the bench is now completed.

The Court unanimously decided the Government had no right to prosecute the so-called Panama libel suit against the Press Publishing Company—the New York World. The opinion was delivered by Chief Justice White.

The Court upheld the decision of the Court of Appeals in the famous Eastern Kentucky land grants which were effected under the revenue and taxation law passed by the Legislature in 1906. Justice Day wrote the opinion.

The Alabama labor contract law was declared unconstitutional. The Government claimed the law reduced some negroes to a state akin to peonage.

The Court declared the bank guaranty laws of Oklahoma, Nebraska and Kansas to be constitutional.

Purely Personal

John Thurmond, who recently leased his home place near Gracely for a term of years, has moved his family to this city to reside. They have taken rooms with the family of G. W. Wiley, East Seventh street.

Jas. H. Ware, has resigned his position with the Frisco at Enid, Okla., to accept a place with the L. & N., with headquarters at Knoxville, Tenn. Mr. Ware and his family are visiting the family of Judge W. P. Winfree, enroute to Knoxville.

Howard Garner has resigned his position with Irving Roseborough Co., and will probably go to Louisville to reside.

Miss Lillian Brasher has returned from a visit to Arlington, Ky.

Ben Webb, of Montana, is here on a visit to friends.

John Barr has returned to school at Campbell, Va.

Fairleigh Ware, who spent the holidays at home, has returned to Culver, Ind.

Miss Mollie Nichols, has resigned her position with Bassett & Co. and has accepted a similar place with the Franks.

Miss Myrtes Mobley, of Clarks-ville, is the guest of Miss Katie Mae West.

Miss Agnes Pursley, of Boise City, Idaho, has arrived in the city on a visit to her father, Mr. J. W. Pursley.

Miss Mary West, of Hopkinsville, was the guest of friends in the city, while attending the Shriner attraction, "Miss Nobody From Starland," and the girls' dance.—Earlington Bee.

Mr. Cecil F. Woolfe and wife, accompanied by their friend, Mrs. Chalker, are visiting his father, Mr. W. R. Woolfe. We understand they are enjoying their stay very much. Mr. Cecil Woolfe resides in Atlanta, where he is engaged in the automobile business, which requires his constant attention so that he can only spend a few days.—Titusville, Fla., Star.

Mr. Woolfe is a nephew of Messrs. John J. and W. A. Reed, of this county, and was reared near Gracely.

Mrs. Fannie May Owsley and her two sons, have returned from a visit of several weeks in Cuba.

Mr. T. S. Brizendine, editor of the Russellville Democrat, was in the city Tuesday on business.

G. W. Shadoin and wife left this morning for Talladega, Ala., where the latter will spend the remainder of the winter with her parents.

Asa Coffey, has taken a position as traveling representative with the Forbes Manufacturing Co.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday at three o'clock, at the Methodist church.

Raymond Skerritt, who has been paper carrier for the Anderson-Fowler Drug Co., will leave for Nashville to enter school and Leslie East, of Kelly, will take his place as carrier.

LOST—A \$250 gold piece, date 1849, mounted as a brooch; reward if returned to Mrs. George N. Duffer.

WANTED—Manager to look after west half of Kentucky on new census proposition. Salary or commission.

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Wanted to buy 100 head good, fat, aged mules at my barn on East Ninth St. Hopkinsville, Ky. Must be sound.

RICHARD LEAVELL.

CONDENSED STATEMENT.

of the

First National Bank

Hopkinsville, Ky.

At the Close of Business

Dec. 31st, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$327,361.94
Overdrafts.....	192.39
U. S. Bonds.....	76,000.00
Other Bonds.....	5,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	22,000.00
Cash and Sight Exchange.....	101,300.37
Total.....	\$531,854.70

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock.....	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	26,237.25
National Bank Notes.....	74,400.00
Rediscounts.....	41,000.00
Individual Deposits.....	311,005.45
U. S. Deposits.....	1,000.00
Unpaid Dividends.....	212.00
Dividend No. 41, this day..	3,000.00
Total.....	\$531,854.70

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What Fashion Does

"Make it strong!" ordered the young woman who had dropped in just at tea-time. "In my present condition I need strengthening."

"You don't look particularly fragile," scoffed the hostess. "What's the trouble?"

"Hats!" said the visitor sepulchraly. "There really isn't any use of saying any more than that one word, but I am so filled with emotion that I've got to get it out of my system. For the last two years every time I've gone to buy a hat I've had to be resuscitated with kind words and the assurance that 'they never can be worse than they are now, so hope on!' But at last I've given up hope."

"I fully expect that some day when I go to buy a hat the lovely golden-haired salesperson will trot out a baby grand piano with its insides excavated and a fringe of tin cans around the edge and laughingly tell me it's the 'vur-ry latest style.' That's about the only thing they haven't sold us in the guise of headgear! We've worn cartwheels and peach baskets and bushel baskets and pancakes on our benighted heads and we're pretty well trained and humble and all that—but today almost finished me!"

"You see, if you can get used to this winter's hats gradually the shock isn't so bad, but when they burst upon you in one overwhelming explosion with no warning it may be almost fatal."

"All summer and fall I've been over in a Michigan summer resort, where we didn't wear hats at all. You rather forget that there are such things, together with trolley cars and city noises. I saw pictures of hats in the newspaper advertisements, but somehow they didn't seem real—they were merely bad dreams. But today, when I really tackled the question, I woke up with a bump! Why, the things are real! They actually do exist!"

"I wandered around one hat department and my spirits kept getting lower and lower. I don't know when I've felt so sad—not since my French poodle choked to death on a chicken bone! When the polite clerks asked me mechanically if I was waited on I just waved them away speechlessly. It was all I could do to bear up under the strain without bursting into bitter tears. Most of the hats were just like sections of overgrown stovepipes and apparently were designed to cover you up completely to your neck. Of course this saves a lot of time in dressing the hair, because any coiffure is completely ruined and smashed by putting on the things. All over the department I could see distracted customers with their locks streaming wild and free, just like inmates of a lunatic asylum. These people looked as though their heads had been sat on and without exception their faces indicated that they had just heard bad news from home."

"Would you like to try it on?" a clerk murmured at my elbow.

"I was holding in my hand a wad of gloomy velvet with a frizzled rosebud attached to one edge. It appealed to me as a daring and dubious undertaking, so I got under the hat. The effect would have moved a heart of stone, but that woman never winked an eyelash. She even went the length of saying it was 'chawm!' Then she caught my accusing eye and hastened to hedge."

"You know," she said soothingly, "that you aren't expected to have any hair this season. You are allowed only one eye and part of a nose. At least, that is all that is visible after your hat is clamped on. Really, when you get used to it, it isn't so bad!"

"I reminded her sternly that they say one can get used to hanging in time. From that hat we went from bad to worse. At the tenth I murmured to the clerk: 'Do I look like that in this?'"

"She glanced over at the customer whom I indicated. The customer had just put on an extinguisher with gold braid and a dew-dad. It hid her head clear below her ear on one side and on the other the brim extended until it trailed on her shoulder and you could see just the tip of her nose outside it."

"That?" asked the clerk, evidently taking my tone for one of envious awe. "Oh, my, yes! Only more so!"

"Then take this away," I told her, violently, "because I have relatives with family pride and they are capable of walling me up alive in the cellar to 'hide their disgrace if I go home looking like that!'"

"But you've got to be in style!" she remonstrated. "There's no use buying a new hat that looks like three years back, and besides, there aren't any in stock but this kind! So what are you going to do? You can't help yourself!"

"Even so," I told her. "Oh, I'll buy a section of stovepipe eventually, but first I want to call on all my friends so they may remember my face as it once was. After I put on one of those things they won't be able to tell whether it is I or my worst enemy."

"She seemed quite indignant and pitying, and said, 'Vur-ry well!' in a pained voice. Then I tottered away, bewailing the fact that I am a woman and can't go in and buy a modest, respectable-looking derby hat and keep the respect of my fellow men!"

MANY WAYS OF MAKING SALAD

Mayonnaise Without an Egg Can Be Made With the Aid of the Following Recipe.

Mayonnaise Without Egg.—Few people know one can make a perfect looking and perfect tasting stiff mayonnaise without an egg. Place a teaspoonful of plain mustard, mixed with a few drops of cold water, in a small bowl. Add oil, not necessarily drop by drop, but still rather slowly. Stir vigorously all the while. As it thickens too much to handle comfortably, thin with lemon juice or vinegar. A little tarragon vinegar is always a great addition to any salad. After the mayonnaise is finished season according to taste and discretion. There is hardly any limit to the quantity of oil that may be used. Less or more mustard may be used, but it must be borne in mind that it is the made mustard that holds the oil together. I generally make a large quantity of mayonnaise at once, using a dessert-spoonful of mustard and as much oil as I can afford—enough for several meals. It keeps most excellently in a covered jar in a cool place.

New Salad.—Cut off crusts of white bread (fresh), cut in diamond shape and toast a light brown. On one-half a piece grate the yolk of hard boiled egg, on the other half white of egg minced fine, and then place on the slice a sardine; on this lay three strips of sweet green peppers, crossed, putting over the whole a nice mayonnaise dressing; the bread is then placed in a nest of crisp lettuce leaves, and a thin slice of lemon is placed on each plate. This is a most appetizing way of serving sardines. Try it.

Philippine Salad.—Cut tomatoes, large white onions, green and sweet red peppers, also cucumbers, in very thin slices, add a good French dressing and let the salad stand for an hour at least on ice in a cool place. Garnish with crisp lettuce leaves before serving. This makes a pretty dish if the different vegetables used are laid in separate circles, alternately. The seeds of the peppers must be carefully removed before they are sliced and the cucumbers peeled.

Banana Puffs.

Beat three eggs until light, add three tablespoons of cold water, one cup of sugar, one-half teaspoon of salt and one cup of flour sifted with one teaspoon of baking powder, stir in two bananas cut into pieces, fill well-buttered cups half full and steam one hour. Serve with pineapple sauce.

Pineapple sauce.—Put one cup of sugar and three-fourths of a cup of water in a saucepan, bring to a boiling point and thicken with two teaspoons of cornstarch made smooth in a little cold water, remove from fire, cool a little, add one cup of grated pineapple, one tablespoon of lemon juice and one-half cup of orange juice. Stir well and serve.

Pineapple Cream.

Beat the yolks of three eggs slightly, add the juice and grated rind of one lemon, a pinch of salt and half a cupful of sugar. Let simmer on the fire slowly, stirring all the time until it thickens. Then remove and stir in a cupful of canned pineapple grated fine and one and a half tablespoons of gelatin which has previously been soaked in half a cupful of cold water. When the mixture begins to jell stir in half a cupful of cream beaten to a froth and the whites of the three eggs also beaten stiff. Turn into a mold and chill thoroughly until time to serve.

Clams Deliciously Deviled.

For a very delicious dish of deviled clams prepare a cupful of chopped clams and season them with cayenne, salt and juice of lemon. Mix them to a soft, batter-like consistency with the yolks of two eggs and some powdered crackers. Put the mixture into little ramekins, broad-scalloped shells or into tiny cups, spread the surface with soft butter and bake until well browned. For a change the mixture may be spread over crisp crackers and then browned in the oven.

Molasses Muffins.

Quarter cupful of molasses, three heaping teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-quarter teaspoonful of salt, three eggs, one-half a cupful of milk, one cupful of flour and three-fourths cupful of rye meal. Mix and sift dry ingredients and remaining ingredients; beat well. Drop from a spoon into smoking hot fat to a golden color. Drain and serve.

Raisin Fudge.

Three cups brown sugar, three-fourths cup milk, one-fourth cup cocoa. Stir constantly till it will form a soft ball when dropped in cold water. Add a tiny bit of butter, one-half teaspoon vanilla and one-third cup of raisins, seeded and torn in two.

To Revive Serge.

If a serge suit becomes a little shiny, try sponging it with warm vinegar, diluted with water, if the vinegar is very strong. This is not a permanent relief, but certainly will improve the appearance of the garment for a time.

Apple Pancake.

One cup flour, two teaspoonfuls baking powder, one-quarter teaspoon salt, two eggs, 1½ cups finely chopped apples, milk to make a thin batter. Serve with powdered sugar.

SPLIT-LOG DRAG FOR ROADS

Costs Very Little and Make Good, Serviceable Highways—It is the Poor Man's Friend.

"We have more than once pointed out," says Southern Good Roads, "that where a bond issue or a heavy road tax is impossible owing to the strength of the opposition or to poverty, there can be nevertheless perfectly good earth roads built at very small expense. The chief thing is co-operation among the people of the community. There is no excuse for a bad road in any village or farming section—none whatever. For the split-log drag is the poor man's friend, and with it any people, however poor, however far from the day of macadam, can make and enjoy good roads."

"Let us take, for example, a stretch of bad road in the country. Say it is ten miles in length and that ten farmers live at intervals along its course. It is very bad in summer and next to impassable in winter. Those ten farmers decide that they are not going to put up with holes and ruts and washouts any longer, and they come together. They agree that they will divide the road into ten sections of one mile each, and every farmer is to take charge of a mile. They select one of their number to act as foreman of all. They fall to work and build split-log drags. These cost practically nothing. The office of public roads, United States department of agriculture, will gladly furnish information as to the construction, and if possible will doubtless send an expert to give preliminary instructions."

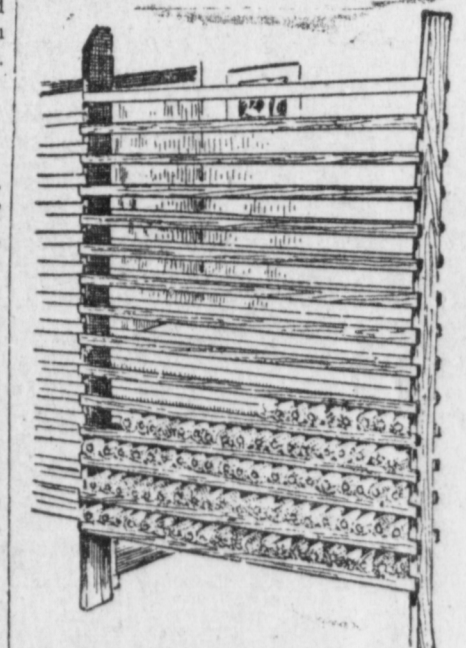
"When the farmers have everything ready, the foreman calls them out after each rain to drag their several sections. This is repeated until within an amazingly short time that miserable old road has been transformed into a splendid highway, smooth, well-drained, well-shaped, a thing of beauty and a joy forever, without the expenditure of enough money for the farmers to miss it. They receive incalculable benefit from the road, and it serves as an object lesson to the rest of their county, causing others to go and do likewise, until in the course of no great time the road situation in the county has been revolutionized and the way paved for the day when permanent stone roads will be built."

"Why not try it in your community?"

DRYING RACK IS IMPORTANT

Few Hours' Work This Fall Will Materially Add to Corn Crop Yield Next Year.

The importance of selecting and drying seed corn in the fall cannot be too strongly urged. A good drying rack is a great convenience and may easily be made. The rack should be



Seed Corn Drying Rack.

placed in a dry room, but one that is not too warm.

By the use of this rack it will be easy to keep certain grades of corn separate. A few hours' work this fall may increase the corn crop very materially next year.

FARM NOTES

Organic matter is very essential in a soil.

A fertile soil is the first thing sought by the pioneer.

The roots should all be in the trench by this time in the northern climate.

Leave no piece of work half done. Drive the hoops down good on every job you do.

It will be much easier to husk corn this month than during the few coming months.

Sometimes the ice crop comes early. No matter when it comes, be ready for it. It may be your only chance.

Pulling and chopping out the big weeds in the garden and truck patches will be in order until frost.

Invest in a gallon or two of paint and go over the implements. Cover the steel parts with raw linseed oil.

By covering tomato vines with cloths or matting when frosts come the yield may be prolonged for some time.

All hinges on the barn doors and gates will work easier if oiled occasionally. Get out the oil can if you have one.

A good use for weeds and old vines from the garden is compost. Everybody who maintains a garden should also keep a compost heap, where everything that will rot and enrich the soil can be thrown from time to time.

Keeping a Secret

Arabella—Won't you ever tell if I tell you anything?

Rose (her dearest friend)—Of course I won't! What is it?

Arabella—Oh, I don't know—maybe I'd better not tell after all, for it's a secret, you know—a dead secret!

Rose—Now, Arabella Cushing, if you don't tell me this minute I shall be dreadfully hurt, dreadfully! I shall think you haven't any confidence in me! What's the use of our being friends if we don't confide in each other, I'll like to know? Don't you know when I promise a thing I mean it?

Arabella—Oh, it isn't that, dear! I know you're to be depended on. Only, you see—it isn't all my own secret—

Rose (with a squeal of suspicion)—Arabella! I'll warrant you're engaged! Are you? Is it Harold? You hateful thing, not to have told me before! When did it happen? Tell me all about it this minute!

Arabella—Now, remember, you're not to breathe a word, a single word, because we aren't going to announce it for months! Well, it was like this—

Rose (an hour later)—I'm so glad to see you, Harriet! Oh, I'm just dying to tell you something, but I can't!

Harriet—Why, you mean thing! What is it?

Rose—No, I've promised! But you'd be so surprised—you can't imagine!

Harriet—Well, I think you're as hateful as can be! Getting me all interested and curious and then keeping it to yourself! If I guess you tell me!

Rose—Oh, you'd never guess in a thousand years! It really wouldn't make any difference if I did tell you, because, of course, it wouldn't go any further, but I'm very particular about keeping my word and I said I wouldn't mention it! It's about two people you know and you would never dream he'd pick out Arabella—

Harriet (with great excitement)—O-o-o-h! Is Arabella engaged? Not really? Why, I never thought she'd get married—she's nice and all that, but you'd never think—oh, who is the man? You might just as well tell me, now that I've guessed the truth!

Rose—Well, of course, I couldn't help it if you guessed it could I? Arabella couldn't blame me for you're being so smart! Why, she's engaged to Harold, of all men! Did you ever? But don't you dare breathe it!

Harriet—Indeed not! I won't mention it to a soul! Now, tell me all about it!

Harriet (forty minutes later)—Maybe I didn't hear a piece of new to-day! I was so surprised!

Isabel (her chum)—Tell me!

Harriet—Oh, my, no! It's a secret, and I said I wouldn't repeat it!

Isabel—But to me—that's different! We tell each other everything!

Harriet—I know—it does seem silly to be so mysterious about anything and, anyhow, if people are engaged I don't see why they should try to conceal—

Isabel—Engaged! Who's engaged?

Harriet, I believe it's you—

Harriet—No, no, truly! You mustn't think that!

Isabel—I certainly shall if you don't tell me the truth instantly! I just know it's yourself!

Harriet—Well, I'm not going to get into trouble by keeping Arabella's old secret for her. Besides, she didn't tell me herself, so I don't think it makes any difference. She's going to marry Harold! What do you think of that?

Isabel—Well, of all things! Arabella! What a joke! Tell me all about it!

Harriet—I will if you promise not to say a word so that it will get out!

Isabel—I'll be silent as the grave!

Isabel (twenty minutes later)—I know something new!

Seven Girls (in the card club)—What?

Isabel—Wouldn't you be excited if you knew! Well, I can't tell!

Seven Girls—Go on! You've got to! Is it about some one we know?

Isabel—Indeed it is! I'm dying to tell you! I don't feel as keen about keeping the secret as I would if she were an intimate friend of mine. I don't think when a person is just an acquaintance you're bound to be so very particular, do you?

Seven Girls—Of course not! And if it's just something you've heard from somebody else you've a perfect right to tell us! Go on!

Isabel—I think so, too! Well, it's about Arabella and Harold—they're engaged.

Arabella (two days later)—I simply don't understand it, Harold! Every human being I know is rushing up to me with congratulations and today the newspapers called up to ask if it was so before they announced it! It's just awful! How on earth could everybody have learned about it when we have kept it a dead secret?

Harold—I can't explain the mystery.

The Species.

"Does mythology say what kind of snakes it was that Hercules played with as a baby, in his cradle?"

"No, but I guess they were rattlesnakes."

Happiness is not doing what we like, but liking what we do.

Waiting for George

"By all means, Marjorie," said that young woman's married sister. "You're a goose to hesitate. Call up George and just tell him that two tickets to a concert were sent to you and that you would be pleased if he would go with you. George will be delighted, I know."

"Perhaps so," responded Marjorie, "but I dislike calling up any man. His mother, sisters, brothers, aunts, uncles, brothers-in-law and the stranger within his gates always know all about it. The only men I don't object to calling up are orphans. Still, this time I will accept your motherly advice; so here is where I drop my nickel."

She left the room. A few minutes later she returned, saying: "He knew my voice immediately, so I didn't have to tell my name. Now, Mrs. Know-it-all on our line can't talk about me tomorrow. He said: 'Of course, I'll go, but I may be a trifle late.'"

As the clock struck eight that evening Marjorie remarked to her married sister: "Don't you think George is rather late? He's always so punctual."

"He'll be here presently," answered the married sister. "May be he cut himself shaving and he can't find a piece of court plaster."

"He never shaves himself," responded Marjorie.

"Well, maybe the barber shop was so crowded he could not get a chair. I know what a time Billy has getting shaved," said the married sister.

After a long silence Marjorie said: "The concert began at eight. It's 8:30 now. Where in the world is that man?"

"Phone him again and discover the cause of this delay," suggested the married sister. "Maybe a long-lost brother arrived unexpectedly from Timbuctoo."

"He hasn't any long-lost brother," objected Marjorie. "He knows the exact position of every member of his family."

At 9:30 Marjorie jumped up, exclaiming: "I'm going to put on my \$1,000 silk kimono and read the last book Harold sent me, eat the candy that came from Arthur today and forget there ever was such a person as George or so impossible a thing as a Tuesday-night concert."

"I'm dreadfully sorry, dear," said the married sister. "I don't think I understand it. George would never break an engagement except for something overwhelmingly important. He's not that kind. Maybe his house is on fire and he is saving the family heirlooms."

"Mildred Morton Morse," exclaimed Marjorie, "I beg of you not to 'maybe' me any more. With that wonderful imagination of yours Peter Pan himself is put to shame. How did that matter-of-fact husband of yours ever win you? And you and he seem crazy about each other, too. This is a peculiar world," added she. "Kiss your disappointed sister good-night."

"Listen!" said the married sister. "There's the door bell. It's George, at last."

"Where have you been?" exclaimed the sisters in chorus.

"Speak now, or forever hold your peace," added Marjorie.

"First let me get my breath," gasped the offender. "I'm exhausted. Marjorie, I'm horribly sorry that I've spoiled your evening. But we'll make up for it somehow. Listen to my story before you order me shot at sunrise."

"When you called me up, Marjorie, you remember, you asked: 'Do you know who this is?' As you are always so stingy about calling up a fellow, I never dreamed it could be you. Well, anyway, I thought it was Dorothy. Honest, I did."

"There being a breakdown on the car track this evening," George continued, "it took me just one hour to arrive at the wrong girl's house. Her father answered the door bell. Before I could explain that I didn't come to stay, he grabbed my hat, coat and gloves, thrust a cigar into my hand, pushed me into an armchair and told me to watch a champion bridge game between three old cronies and himself."

"Then I managed to say: 'I'm waiting for Dorothy.'"

"You'll have a long wait, my boy," replied her father. "Dorothy is in Lake Forest. She's been there for a week—some bridal doing, I think."

"But she telephoned to me to take her to a concert tonight," I said.

"It must have been some other girl," he laughed. "The joke is on you."

"With that he and his friends shouted with laughter. I believe they are laughing yet."

"You poor boy," said Marjorie's sister.

Marjorie remained silent. "I grabbed my hat, coat, gloves and cane," George proceeded, "and rushed to the nearest drug store. A suspicion as to the real owner of the voice that called me up today had dawned on my dense mind. It took ten minutes for the highly-perfumed clerk to give me a slug for my nickel, then I waited 15 minutes more before I discovered that your phone was out of order."

"Well, I'm here at last, and I can say to you that I'm positively crestfallen. But you will forgive me, won't you, Marjorie?"

"Would you, Mildred?" asked Marjorie.

But the married sister was in garrulous laughter, so she could only nod by way of assent.

MESSENGER BOYS IN BERLIN.

Useful as Escorts for Lone Women and Substitutes for Nursemaids.

Berlin has just adopted the district messenger. The boys wear jaunty polo caps with leather straps under their chins like English infantrymen.

Their uniform is blue with red pipings and red stripes down the seams of the trousers. The coats are military blouses with stiff, braided upright collars. There are six buttons in groups of two so arranged that both regular and shoulder belts may be worn. The latter has a regular cartouche case for the safe keeping of letters or small parcels.

Oddly enough, it is not so much in a business way that the system has attracted the Berliners. They have taken it up as a kind of social and domestic auxiliary.

The boys are already in request as escorts to lone women; this is a special boon in a city where a respectable woman can hardly stir out of doors after dark without either escort or chaperon.

Many households are also saving the expense of a nursemaid by calling a boy to trundle the baby's perambulator for an hour or so or perhaps to romp with the larger children in one of the parks. Boys are also seen giving French poodles their airings and Berlin lovers are said to have found them a more trustworthy medium of communication than the mails.

The peaceful Berliners are not yet accustomed to the novelty and as the boys go about the streets on their various errands crowds stand to gaze at them. The boys are rigidly drilled, especially in politeness.

PLEASED THE BOSTON MAN.

Thought Indian Was Acknowledging Culture of Modern Athens.

The following story is often told among the old pioneers and more enlightened Indians of Oregon, though it has probably never appeared in print.

At the time the Hudson Bay company was founding the city of Portland in the early fifties, there was a party of Bostonian speculators located farther up the Columbia river. This party was often referred to as "the Boston men" and from frequently hearing this expression, the Indians came to apply the term of "Boston man" as their only expression meaning white man. In further explanation, the Indian word for expressing bad and dishonest is "cultus."

One day while a number of Indians were sitting by the roadside, a couple of the Boston speculators not versed in the lingo of the Indians coming upon them, stopped to see what they were doing.

An old Indian looked up and, turning to his friends remarked: "Cultus Boston men" (Bad and thievish white men).

Then one of the speculators turned to his friend and said in amazement:

"Just to think that even these poor ignorant Indians acknowledge the 'culture' of the Bostonian."

SIMPLY OUT OF THE QUESTION.

Sufferer—Well, what is the matter with me, doctor?

Physician (brusquely)—Appendicitis.

Sufferer (horrified)—Nonsense, doctor! You don't know what you are talking about! I can't afford to have appendicitis.

THE OLD HOMESTEAD.

The stern New England father had just turned his daughter into the street.

"Fine," she ejaculated. "I'll just pick up a few mining stocks on the curb."

Thus we see that every cloud has a silver lining.

IT WOULDN'T BE RIGHT.

"I can't imagine anything more unsatisfactory," remarked the chronic kicker, "than a meal at our boarding house."

"No?" replied the sentimental youth. "Evidently you never get a kiss from your best girl over the telephone."

A DWINDLED CELEBRITY.

"I suppose you are rich beyond the dreams of Monte Carlo," said the envious friend.

"Monte Cristo!" echoed Mr. Dustin Stax. "Why, sir, compared to the modern trust magnate, Monte Cristo was a poor relation."

TALES OF HER PAST

"I shouldn't have blamed Fred a bit," said the girl who was wearing a recently acquired diamond ring. "If he had broken the engagement. Of course, I am just the same person I've always been, but it must have smashed his idea of me into a million pieces, for at first he had a notion that I am closely related to the angels."

"Right here let me advise any of you who may happen to become engaged to a man who has never seen you in your native lair, so to speak, to keep him away from it until after the wedding ceremony is performed. He's bound to be disillusioned in the course of time, but it's better to let him wait until the disclosure is perfectly inevitable."

"You know," she went on, "I met Fred when I was visiting Aunt Lucy in the east, and it wasn't my fault that he would insist on coming here for his vacation. I wanted to see him, but goodness knows I didn't want him to hear the tale of my doings, evil and otherwise, from the time I was born, and I knew he would if he came."

"The very first evening he came to see me father brought out all my old photographs to show him. My photographs are more than a joke—they are a family disgrace. Mother says if she didn't have me to exhibit in proof that I don't really look like them she would throw them all away."

"First there was my baby picture that looks like a compromise between a monkey and a scrambled egg. Then there is the one with the short sleeves and abbreviated skirt that makes me look as if I had on pantalettes. To add to the fearful sight there are two little round curls pasted on the brow like something dreadful that had happened before the war. The worst of it was that, no matter how harrowing they were, they were all unmistakably, unquestionably and indubitably me."

"After Fred had seen all the photographs the family sat around and harked back to the days of my unregenerate youth. All the horrible old family traditions about me were trotted out. They told how I always made straight for the coal bucket as soon as I was nicely washed and dressed. They said I never was known to be clean five minutes after the great feat of dressing me—which you would think required the help of half a dozen strong men from the way they tell it—had been accomplished. They told how I shrieked when I was bathed, how I stuck beans in my ears and cut off my hair so that my head had to be shaved. They related how I had to be spanked every day when mother tried to teach me to read, and thousands of other anecdotes that long since should have been consigned to oblivion."

"Mother told of the attack of typhoid fever I had at an age when no well-regulated child would have dreamed of such a thing. She went on to describe in detail all the infantile diseases that I used to bring home."

"Never once did the family leave the subject of poor me during the entire evening. Finally Fred's face took on a set smile and his eyes grew so glassy that I was afraid he was going to have a fit."

"The next day we went over to see dear old Aunt Lizzie, who has been a sort of second mother to me all my life, and whose heart would have been broken if she hadn't been the first one outside of the family to meet Fred. Aunt Lizzie started in with my first appearance on the scene. Dear me, what a good time she did have telling about it! She said I was the ugliest, reddest scrap of humanity she had ever seen."

"Fred has always said that what appealed to him most strongly about me was that I was so entirely feminine. He never has cared for athletic girls. Of course, I never breathed that I was noted for being the greatest tomboy in town. Coming home from Aunt Lizzie's we met Tom Meyer."

"Tom just stuck his hands in his pockets and grinned and said, 'Hello, Mabel,' as though we were both about ten years old."

"When we got home and I mentioned that we had met Tom, my brother, of course, had to tell about the time Tom pushed me into the mud and I got up and fought him for it. Brother Dick's really proud of the way I used to fight. He thought Fred would be delighted to know that I could lick any boy of my size when I was six years old."

"The climax came when our old rector came to call and after telling how I tried to climb into the font when he baptized me he shook his finger at me waggishly and said to Fred: 'You'll have to watch this young lady carefully or she'll give you the slip yet. Did you ever hear how she treated—'

"Then, aided and abetted by my marble-hearted family, he went on to tell about all the flirtations I had ever had from the cradle up. And I had really convinced Fred that he was the only man I had ever thought of twice!"

The girl with the engagement ring heaved a deep sigh.

"We are still engaged," she said, "and Fred insists that he feels just the same as ever toward me, but I can hardly believe it."

REFUGE PLACE FOR MINERS.

Plan Suggested for Lessening Loss of Life in Collieries.

The adoption of an ingenious, if not unique, plan for reducing the loss of life from colliery explosions is advocated in the current issue of Mines and Minerals by Mr. J. L. Dixon. He would excavate in a convenient place in every coal mine a chamber in which a large number of men might take refuge. Its existence and position should be made known by placards, and these might be supplemented by arrows, inscribed with luminous paint on the walls of the mine. In order to serve the purpose for which it was erected, this chamber should contain not only those things which are required in giving "first aid to the injured," but also a good supply of food and perhaps reservoirs of compressed oxygen. Two other features of the equipment which Mr. Dixon considers necessary are a pipe through which plenty of fresh air can be forced in, and a telephone which is "explosion proof," and with which communication can be had with the outside world.

Only a small share of the mortality caused by colliery explosions is due to physical injury. Most of it results from suffocation by poisonous gases. Death is rarely immediate, and miners have sometimes survived who were extricated after more than a day's imprisonment. If means were provided for introducing fresh air into a mine under such circumstances, and if the men could get the full benefit of it, absolute release might be almost indefinitely deferred.

Legislative enactments, natural humanity and business prudence have jointly led to the adoption of precautions in every great industry which are meant to avert the loss of life or limb. The operation of coal mines in this country or Europe affords no exception to the rule, for numerous devices are employed and stringent rules are in force to prevent explosions. These do not always avail, however, and it might be profitable as well as merciful to resort to new measures for promoting the success of rescue work.

ROUGH.



Cholly Citychap—Don't you find it very disagreeable work running a farm?

Hi Hawbuck—Yes; I'm goin' against the grain most of the time.

LONDON'S WOMAN BOOTBLACK.

And now the woman bootblack has made her appearance in London, and the excitement in her street is rising to boiling point. The first morning she dawned upon the public every one was so astonished that they forgot all about business or engagements and stopped for a shine and to ask a few questions. She has taken her stand in Jermyn street and has hardly known an idle moment since she started in, so many dusty and mud-stained shoes have come her way. It is wondered whether women who believe in equal rights with man will feel that they have achieved another step along the way.

MONEY IN SNAILS AND BEES.

Upon the southern slope of a range of hills some 20 miles from London an old and crippled keeper ekes out his slender pension by collecting and feeding snails, and finds a ready sale for them in the foreign restaurants. He also holds a standing order for all the autumn-caught bumble-bees he can collect, for exportation to New Zealand. These bees fertilize the flowers of clover plants.

ITS USEFULNESS.

Aunt Maria—The table was laid with 18 covers.

Uncle Hiram—Gee whilkins, if a feller spilt his gravy it wouldn't go through to the bottom.—Puck.

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Dr. Cook's Confession

In the January issue of HAMPTON'S MAGAZINE—the magazine that published Commander Peary's Own Story of the Conquest of the North Pole—Dr. Cook frankly admits that he does not know whether he reached the North Pole or not.

Since the sudden and mysterious disappearance of Dr. Frederick A. Cook in November, 1909 until the publication of this series no word has been received from this man who stood so conspicuously for a brief while before the world, the recipient of unprecedented honors. Why did Dr. Cook disappear? Was not this a tacit admission that he had presented a fraudulent claim to the discovery of the North Pole? Or did he ever possibly believe in himself? Where has he been? What has he done?

In his story—a human document of the most extraordinary interest and importance—Dr. Cook has held up his own naked soul for public examination; has searchingly and mercilessly analyzed the mental processes which preceded his extraordinary actions since his return from that barren world where, he says, "I felt what few men of cities feel"—the tragic isolation of the human soul—a thing which, dwelt upon, must mean madness, I think I realized the aching vastness of the world after Creation, before man was made.

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THE HATPIN JABBING TIME

Fine Time for an Artist to Take a Picture of a Matinee Audience.

What a busy buzz there is at the close of a matinee, when the women put on their hats and go to jabbing at their heads with those long hatpins. It is like a soft breeze blowing across the stubble field. One of the man kind looking on swings between fear and delight—fear that they will pierce their pretty heads, and delight at the grace with which they jab.

It would be a fine stroke of policy if some artist could take a picture of a matinee audience at the pin jabbing moment. The postures, the struggling arms, the anxious faces of the poor, innocent man, here and there, waiting for the incident to close, would make a scene of such grace and innocence that everybody would want a picture of it. And if such a picture could be preserved for ten years and shown to the generation then on the scene of life, it would command the price of a Van Dyke or a Murillo.

WHAT SHE WANTED



Book Store Clerk—Oh! yes, here's a book on "Good Form" for 75c.

Customer—My wife will want a better form than that, I am sure. Show me a book worth \$1.50.

TURN ABOUT.

At Cumberland, Md., the colored servants, as a rule, go to their own homes at night. The cook in the family of the Episcopalian clergyman not only does this but of late has arrived at the rectory too late to cook breakfast. Hence her mistress lately told her that for each breakfast missed there would be a reduction in her weekly wages. Dinah passively assented to this, but next day the mistress heard the maid next door say to her:

"Pears to me yo go to work mighty late."

"I gets to work when I gets ready," was the reply.

"How does you manage about de breakfast?"

"Oh, I pays de missus to cook de brekfus."—Housekeeper.

HOMESTEAD LAWS.

The homestead laws are of two classes: those enacted by congress and those enacted by state legislatures. The primary object of the first class is to enable citizens without capital to acquire homes. The main object of the second class is to secure homes, once acquired, against the claims of creditors. Legislation of the first class has done much to stimulate the settlement and improvement of wild, unoccupied land. That of the second class has saved countless families from pauperism.

THE TURBINE.

The first steam turbine fitted vessel, the Turbinia, was constructed by the Hon. C. A. Parsons at his works at Newcastle-on-Tyne. The Turbinia was a small vessel, some 100 feet in length, and her first trip was made November 4, 1894. The system rapidly developed, owing to the increased speed and the economy in coal, and it is safe to say that it is destined to do away with all others in the near future.

REQUIRES PRACTISE.

After you learn to say it fluently there is something beautifully musical about the name of Cleofonte Campanini.

ALL THAT A MAN HATH.

An automobile does not prove that a man has money but that he did have.—Judge.

KEEP THE CLOSETS CLEAN

Point of Importance That is Too Frequently Overlooked by the Busy Housewife.

Usually there are about the house closets so dark that except at the yearly or semi-yearly housecleaning it is impossible to tell whether or not they are dirty. They are breeders of disease, even in the best-managed households, for no maid and few mistresses will crawl into the dark hole under the stairs or back in the kitchen after perfectly invisible dust.

One solution of the problem is to paint these closets white, ceiling, floor and walls. It is easy enough to see dirt then, and the other and more useful contents of the closet as well. If one can keep the hall closet clean and find the family overshoe on sight, simply by painting the closet white, then by all means let us hasten to the paint shop and remove the obsolete and horrible wall paper that usually incumbers these germ hotels.

If the closet is still dark after this treatment try cleaning with the aid of the electric flash light. There is no danger of fire and corners can be closely investigated. All of which is an advantage to the housewife who does not love dirt and disorder.

But always, when cleaning day comes, consider first the closets and, most important of all of these is the sloping, dark, neglected closet under the stairs.

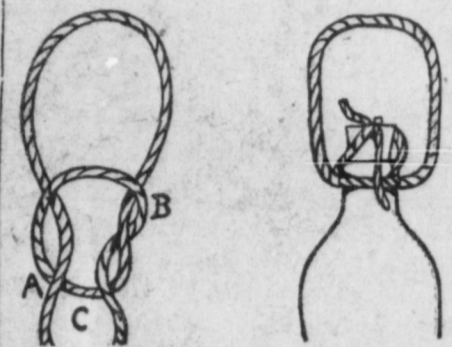
TWO FINE TART SIDE DISHES

Especially Good to Serve With Game or Roast Meats—Aids to the Appetite.

Sweet Pickled Apples.—A delicious pickle is this, made from sweet apples. Cut in halves through the stem, leaving the core in and the skin on. Put three cloves in each half as in pickling peaches, then make a sirup, allowing for every six pounds of apples three pounds of sugar and a pint of vinegar. Add a few cassia buds or pieces of stick cinnamon, put the fruit in and cook the sirup a little longer until thickened and pour over the fruit.

Grape Relish.—Pick from the stems seven pounds of grapes, rather under ripe, and separate the pulp from the skins. Put the skins in a preserving kettle over the fire, with just enough water to prevent their burning. Place the pulp in another kettle and cook until the seeds loosen. Press through a sieve and add to the skins with a half pint of vinegar, three pounds of sugar and a teaspoonful each cloves, allspice and cinnamon. Boil until thick. This is fine to serve with game or roast meats.

TO TIE CORK IN BOTTLE



First make a loop in a piece of strong twine and pass both ends through at B and A. Place the loop over the neck of the bottle and draw it snugly at A and tie in a hard knot at B, when there will be a string on both sides of the bottle to tie firmly over the cork, also a handy loop to handle the bottle with.

Delicious Breakfast Muffins.

One-third teaspoon salt and one-half teaspoonful of soda dissolve in one-half cup of hot water, one tablespoon of molasses, one tablespoon of melted butter, one well beaten egg, one cup of milk, one cup of bran meal and one and one-half cups of graham meal. Bake in gem pans 25 minutes. This will make nine.

Cheese With Peppers.

Melt two heaping tablespoonfuls of butter in the chafing dish, add five tablespoonfuls of chopped onion, quarter cupful of cream of milk, seasoning of salt, pepper and paprika, and four well beaten eggs. Cook till thoroughly mixed and serve hot on buttered slices of toasted bread.

Ant Remedy.

Here is a sure remedy for the removal of the little ant pest: Remove paper from shelves, then wash them with hot water. Prepare some strong alum water and take a small paint brush and cover the shelves, cracks and corners a few times, and you will soon be free from them.

Egg Plant Fritters.

Parboil an egg plant, remove all the seeds and mash it. Stir in three tablespoonfuls of flour, one minced onion, an egg and salt and pepper to taste. Beat to the consistency of pancake batter, drop from a large iron spoon into hot boiling fat and fry brown.

Cracker Pie.

Pour boiling water over four or five crackers and let soak. Press out the water and pour in juice of a lemon, with teaspoon of sugar. Pour in puff paste and bake.

Use Paraffin Twice.

Paraffin can be used the second time to cover jelly and jam if it is washed clean and boiled before being turned over the fruit again.

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Snow And Bitter
Cold.

EQUALS SPEED OF 1910.

Five Inches of Snow Fell
Monday Night and
Tuesday.

The whole country is in the grip of a blizzard equal to that of a year ago. Snow began falling Monday night and fell at intervals until Tuesday at noon. Five inches fell upon the frozen ground and has shown no sign of melting. The drop in the temperature followed the snow and yesterday morning the mercury registered 12 degrees below zero, according to the government thermometer kept by Mr. W. F. Randle. The spell is a duplicate of the blizzard of Jan. 7, 1910, when 14 inches of snow fell and was followed by zero weather, the mercury standing 12 below.

FISCAL COURT

Elects Jno. W. Richards to
Make The Sheriff's
Statement.

Fiscal court was in regular monthly session Tuesday. Miscellaneous claims amounting to about \$1,200 were allowed. Claims for sheep killed by dogs, amounting to \$18, were approved and ordered certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

An order was made appropriating \$700 to W. F. Randle, poor commissioner, to pay poor claims for the present year and those now due, out of the poor fund.

John W. Richards was elected as commissioner to make settlement with the sheriff for county revenue collected by the latter for the year 1910, on behalf of the fiscal court.

William Morris, col., was relieved from payment of poll tax in future, on account of the loss of an arm.

Accounts aggregating about \$110 for poor house supplies were allowed and ordered paid.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Issued Past Year Show Increase Over 1909.

There were 394 marriage licenses issued by the county clerk during the year 1910. Two of these, one white and one colored, were returned, unused, and endorsed "No property found." The license were divided, as follows: Whites, 179; Colored, 215. This is a net increase of 17 over the year 1909. In 1909 licenses were issued to 158 white couples, against 179 in 1910, an increase of twenty-one. There was a decrease of three in the colored, as compared with the year 1909.

Moseley—Caldwell.

Dr. Gayle G. Moseley, formerly of this county, and Miss Julia Caldwell, of Redlands, Cal., were married last night at the home of the bride.

Dr. Moseley, for some years practiced medicine near Casky, but moved to California several years ago. His bride is said to be a charming young woman.

Roark-Johnston.

Miss Hattie Lee Johnston, of this city, who has been in the South for a year or two, was married a week or two ago to Mr. Roark, of Uniontown, Ala. No particulars have been received.

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes, H. B. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough I had looked like it, sure enough. I tried everything, I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C. for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure. 'It's positively guaranteed for coughs, colds, and all bronchial affections. 50c & \$1.00. Trial bottle free at all druggists."

THE ATHENAEUM

Will Hold Its January Meeting To-night.

The Athenaeum will meet to-night at Hotel Latham in regular meeting. Prof. Davis A. Clark will write on "The character Brutus."

Others on the program are Capt. A. G. Chapman and Mr. Lucian H. Davis.

AFTER JANUARY 1

My office will be over the American Express Co. 9th and Va. Sts.

WALTER KELLY.

PRODUCTION OF COAL IN 1910

Kentucky Among The States
Showing Notable
Increase.

HAS A GREAT INCREASE.

The Estimate Was Made By
Edward W. Parker
In 1910.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The production of coal in the United States during 1910 was between 475,000,000 and 485,000,000 short tons a considerable increase from the output, 459,725,804 short tons in 1909, and approximately within one per cent of the maximum previous record of 480,363,424 tons, produced in 1907.

This estimate was made by Edward W. Parker, from reports received by the United State Geological Survey from coal mine operators and others familiar with the industry.

"The most important factor influencing the coal mining industry in 1910," says Mr. Parker, "was the prolonged strike in Illinois and the southwestern states. The strike of suspension which started on April 1, pending an adjustment of the wage scale, was not finally settled until September 15, and after that date much time was lost in putting the mines into condition for operation so that the period of idleness in the mines effected was fully six months. The settlement was a practical surrender of the operators to demands of the miners with an increase of 5.55 per cent in wages. A similar increase was granted in a number of other states, either before the strike was called or during the suspension or subsequent to it. During the idleness many of the miners who were on strike in Illinois obtained employment in mines of competitive states and helped to increase the output of these states, which offset the shortage in the states affected."

"Notable increases in production were made in the western counties of Kentucky, in Western Pennsylvania and in Ohio, West Virginia, Alabama, Colorado, New Mexico and Montana. The states whose production was reduced by the strike were Illinois, Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas and Oklahoma. It was claimed by the miners' organization that on June 1, 1910, 70,000 miners were idle in Illinois and 34,000 in the southwest, that is, in Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas. About the middle of May the operators of the important districts in Illinois, Kentucky, West Virginia, Coal Oper.

was in contest with the miner's union, accepted the miners terms and went to work. Other mines which were not represented in the association were also operated during the strike, so that from 25 to 30 per cent of the normal output was being produced at the time the strike was ended and this continuous production was a potent factor in bringing the operators to terms with the miners.

"Of the total production in 1910 the anthracite mines of Pennsylvania contributed nearly 83,000,000 short tons and bituminous mines between 390,000,000 and 400,000,000 tons."

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Obituary.

In memory of my brother, L. G. Smith.

He was born in Virginia June 29, 1844, and departed this life Dec. 4, 1910. He was the son of Rev. John B. Smith, of near Lafayette, Ky. He was the youngest of fourteen children, which are all gone but two.

He professed religion and joined the Baptist church and was baptized by Rev. A. W. Meacham, in March, 1861. He lived a christian life.

He lived with his mother at the old home until she died, July 1882, and then with his niece, Mrs. Nannie Coombs, who resides on the old home place. He was afflicted all of his life but bore his afflictions with patience. He was liked by all who knew him. We miss him so much.

Brother, thou art gone to dwell With loved ones gone before, Where suffering shall be no more. Thou art gone to heaven above, Where all is peace and love. Freed from a life of toil and pain, Thou shalt never suffer again.

His Brother.

Herndon, Ky., Jan. 1, 1911.

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